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CONGRESSMAN ANDY KIM
UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NEW JERSEY THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

March 24, 2023

Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
H-307, the Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the 2024 Blacks Creek WWTP Improvements project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Bordentown Sewerage Authority, located at 954 Farnsworth Ave, Bordentown NJ 08505. The funding would be used for the upgrade and modernization of equipment at three separate locations within the wastewater treatment plant. Upgrades include an automatic aerated grit chamber, grit bucket elevator, improvements of the plant drain pump station, and modernization of the soda ash feed system.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the proposed improvements will permit the Bordentown Sewerage Authority to convey and treat the increasing flow of wastewater within its permitted capacity of 3.0 million gallons per day. The upgrades will help support the increased commercial needs in the region as a result of economic development and improve the quality of the water supply to residents, while simultaneously decreasing the wear and tear on equipment throughout the treatment plant.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. 1381 et seq.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Andy Kim
Member of Congress